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Application No. 10/784,393-Conf. #8432		Filing Date February 23, 2004	Examiner W. H. Beisner	Art Unit 1744
Applicant(s): Aaron T. Timperman				
Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ON-CHIP CONCENTRATION USING A MICROFLUIDIC DEVICE WITH AN INTEGRATED ULTRAFILTRATION MEMBRANE STRUCTURE				
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 7, 2006 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

Attached is a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period of response three months, up to and including September 7, 2006, along with the necessary fee. Please charge the necessary extension fee as well as any additional fees required in connection with the papers transmitted herewith to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference No. 2112(222085).

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the "Listing of the Claims" which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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